## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of : Attorney Docket No. 2006\_0649A

Ikurou MARUYAMA et al. : Confirmation No. 3430

Serial No. 10/577,447 : Group Art Unit 1633

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## **AMENDMENT**

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

In further response to the Final Rejection dated March 2, 2009 and the Advisory Action dated July 28, 2009, the deadline for taking this action being extended for a second and third month by the attached petition, please amend the present application as follows: